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SUBJ: CONDUCT OF AMERICAN BUSINESS IN TEHRAN

REF: TEHRAN 5188 AND PREVIOUS

1. MORNING ENGLISH-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER CARRIED FRONT-PAGE BOX HEADED "FOREIGN FIRMS MUST TESTIFY TO DEALINGS" WITH FOLLOWING TEXT: "A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT ALL FOREIGN COMPANIES ENGAGING IN SERVICES WITH THE GOVERNMENT OR ANY OF ITS AGENCIES, WOULD BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A SWORN AFFIDAVIT TESTIFYING TO THE NON-PAYMENT OF 'ANY FEES, COMMISSIONS, BONUSES, GRATUITIES OR OTHER PAYMENTS' TO BROKERS OR AGENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT OR ITS EXECUTION, 'OTHER THAN THOSE THAT APPEAR ON THE AFFIDAVIT.'

THE SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT THE MEASURE WAS AIMED AT PREVENTING UNLAWFUL AND UNETHICAL BUSINESS PRACTICES.

THE SIGNING OF THE AFFIDAVIT WILL BE REQUIRED BY THE GOVERNMENT AS A CONDITION FOR ENGAGING IN BUSINESS WITH GOVERNMENT AGENCIES IN IRAN.

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ANY VIOLATIONS OF THE AFFIDAVIT'S PROVISIONS WOULD RENDER

THE SIGNATORY LIABLE TO PROSECUTION FOR CRIMINAL OFFENCE,
INCLUDING PERJURY, AND MAY ENTAIL TERMINATION OF THE BUSINESS
AND ASSESSMENT OF PUNITIVE DAMAGES AGAINST THE COMPANY."

2. EMBASSY REQUESTING OFFICIAL TEXT OF REGULATION OR DECREE
AND INFORMATION REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION. WILL FORWARD AS
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